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Price Three Cents

N. P. SHOPS WALK OUT AT 10:00 A. M.

PRESIDENT AND CABINET MET TODAY TO DEVISE PLANS

Effort Will be Made to Reduce Cost of Bread to 5 or Six Cents a Pound

Reducing Currency Circulation and Contracting Credits are Suggested as a Remedy

BY L. C. MARTIN,
(Staff Correspondent, United Press)

Washington, Aug. 5—Increased pressure for a reduction in the cost of living today brought definite action in congress. The senate agricultural committee voted to begin consideration Aug. 18 under the Kenyon and Kindrich bills to regulate the packers.

This was considered by many as the most important action taken by congress with regard to bringing down prices. Kenyon and Kindrich bills provide that packers be placed under license and a system of regulations which will prevent profits over a certain limit.

Washington, Aug. 5—President Wilson and members of his cabinet met today in an effort to devise means to cut food costs.

Both the president and his advisors, it was learned, consider speedy action imperative in the nation-wide clamor for relief, and will labor to force an early improvement in wheat prices.

Possible plans of actions by cabinet members and other high officials to keep in touch with domestic affairs were whipped into shape at an early conference by Chairman Colver, of the federal trade commission, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Leffingwell and Rail Director Hines. The sub-committee was named at a previous meeting to sift through plans offered and discard those on which they can not reach an agreement.

Julius Barnes, wheat director, and Governor Harding of the Federal Reserve Board were invited to conference today. Barnes was to be questioned on the feasibility of having the government purchase the present grain crop at guarantee prices and resell on the market at loss.

Bread, the Department of Labor reports, sells at nine to ten cents a pound in most cities. It is argued that if this price could be cut to five or six cents other foods would drop in sympathy.

Harding was to be asked about the advisability of reducing the value of currency in circulation, which is two times pre-war days. They argued that this is one of the chief causes of high prices.

It was asked that the banking machinery be used to contract credit. Some experts say it is now highly inflated.

Washington, August 5.—The president is devoting his entire time to the high cost of living problem, it was stated at the White House today. Conferences with the senate about the League of Nations covenant and the peace treaty will be deferred until some plan for lowering prices is evolved, it was said.

The president was to confer with Attorney General Palmer following the general cabinet meeting today. Palmer has been directing the activities of cabinet members and other high officials who have been endeavoring to devise plans for bringing down the high cost of living. Later, it was announced, he will confer with Wheat Director Julius Barnes about the desirability of having the government purchase this year's wheat crop at guaranteed prices and resell on the market at a lower figure.

ure. Palmer will discuss various schemes proposed, it was hinted. The president will talk over with him legislation which might be used against war speculators, profiteers and other food orders.

Prince of Wales Starts for Canada and United States

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 5—The Prince of Wales, King George and Queen Mary left for Portsmouth at 11:30 today. The prince will board the British warship Renouance and sail for Canada at 6 o'clock and is due to arrive at St. John, Newfoundland, Aug. 15.

After a tour of Canada he will tour the United States. The date of his visit to the states has not been set, but it is probable it will be in October.

Austrian Reply to Peace Terms to be Delivered Tomorrow

(By United Press)

Paris, Aug. 5—Dr. Karl Renner, head of the Austrian peace delegation notified the peace conference that the Austrian proposal to the treaty terms would be delivered tomorrow. Immediately afterwards he will go to Vienna and will return to St. Germain August 12.

Hindenberg Heads New German Party

(By United Press)

Berlin, Aug. 5—Marshal Hindenburg claims to assume leadership of a new national peoples party, said to be extremely conservative in character.

The state tribunal appointed to investigate responsibilities for the war and try its guilty is expected to present its preliminary session at a national assembly at Weimar soon.

Socialization of electric power plants was being proposed today in labor circles.

Congress Wants to Hear from Pershing on Army Size

(By United Press)

Washington, Aug. 5—Congress wants to hear from General Pershing before making up their mind about universal military training and a national peace army.

Indications today were that the war department favors having an army of one half million men and universal training which will be bitterly contested.

FRESH POULTRY, BEEF AND PORK ADDED TO SALE

Half of War Department's Surplus Food Stock is Available for Purchase

Washington, Aug. 4—More than half of the \$132,137,700 worth of surplus food stocks held by the war department July 19 is immediately available for sale, according to a statement issued today by the department. In addition to canned goods and bacon previously announced as ready for sale, the list includes \$16,500,000 worth of frozen fresh beef; \$2,073,000 worth of fresh pork and \$1,136,000 in frozen fresh poultry.

He's a Big Man But he Looks Small on Top of the R-34



Those who saw the British dirigible R-34 say it was difficult to get an idea of the great proportions of the trans-Atlantic flier as she lay anchored at Mineola, Long Island, because of the open space about Roosevelt Field. This photograph, showing a six-foot American officer standing on top of the gas bag above the figure "3" gives some idea of just how big the dirigible is.

17 Indictments Returned for Chicago Race Riots

(By United Press)

Chicago, Aug. 5—Seventeen persons were under indictment in connection with the race riot last week when thirty-five whites and blacks were killed. Three were charged with murder.

Heart of Chicago's Race Riot District and City Officials Who Helped Quell Disturbances



This photograph was taken at the corner of Thirty-sixth and State streets, Chicago, in the heart of the race-riot district. The motorcycles were left by policemen who were summoned to quell disturbances nearby. Below are Mayor Thompson who appealed to Governor Lowden to call out state troops, and First Assistant Chief of Police Alcock, who was put in charge of the police assigned to riot duty.

About 1300 Men Involved All Except the Store Room and the Foremen

About 1,300 shopmen of the Northern Pacific railway shops, all crafts and their helpers except the store room employees and the various foremen of crafts, walked out at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, after serving notice on Superintendent J. P. Anderson.

For the first time in the history of Brainerd and the local shops such a walk out has taken place involving all mechanics of the shops, being blacksmiths, boiler-makers, machinists, pipefitters, electrical workers, tinsmiths, carmen and their various helpers.

The only men remaining at work are employees in the store room of the shops and the various foremen of departments. These foremen also have a union of their own and are also identified with various mechanical trades unions.

It is reported that the offer made by Director General of Railways Hines to the national federated crafts committee was turned down today.

The local committee consists of J. V. Otis, president; O. H. Oelwein, secretary, and John J. Ronney.

STAPLES MEN ARE NOT OUT + Passengers traveling through Brainerd this afternoon stated the Staples men were not out, having after a vote decided to remain at work until they heard from their grand lodges.

Shopmen Will Strike at Milwaukee Today

Milwaukee, Aug. 5—Seven thousand shopmen of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul will go on strike at 2 o'clock this afternoon unless word is received from Washington that there is prospects of increase of wages was reported from the Railroad Administration.

Despotic Bolshevik Who is the Ruler of Hungary



Under the despotic Bolshevik rule of Bela Kun there have been hundreds of murders and outrages in Hungary. This is one of the first pictures to reach this country of the man who was captured by the Russians while serving in the Austro-Hungarian army and later became secretary of Lenin. He is second only to Trotsky as a Bolshevik despot.

Father Kills Three of His Children

St. Louis, Aug. 5—August Kayser, 45 years old, killed three of his children by cutting their throats here today, and then attempted to kill himself. His efforts to sever an artery in his left wrist was arrested by his son Theodore, who was badly cut in the battle.

Blockade Against Hungary is Lifted

Paris, Aug. 5—A counsel of five lifted the blockade against Hungary. Reports said the nation is completely open to foreign trade now.

JAPAN TO DISCLOSE HER INTENTIONS REGARDING SHANTUNG

Sec'y Lansing Will Appear Before Senate Committee and Reveal Inside History of Covenant

40 PICNICKERS HURT WHEN CARS COLLIDE

Rail Superintendent at Helm and Loses Leg in Accident in California

San Jose, Cal., Aug. 4—Forty or more persons were injured, several seriously, in a head-on crash of two cars on the Peninsula railway, nine miles from here, at 11:30 a. m. yesterday.

Laden with picnickers bound from San Jose to Congress Springs, a small car was thrown on end by a car twice as big that swept down a grade at a curve.

Rail Official Injured

E. G. Shoup, superintendent and traffic manager of the Peninsula railway, cousin of Paul Shoup, vice president of the Southern Pacific and president of the Pacific Electric railway, was said to be piloting the large outbound car. He had been riding in the vestibule and was reported to have relieved the motorman a short time before the crash occurred. He was caught in the wreckage and his left leg so badly crushed that it was amputated below the knee.

Motorman William Conliffe of Car No. 51, the smaller of the two in the crash, jumped when the impact came and later assisted in rescuing the struggling mass of fifty-three women, children and men, who were piled in the lower end of the car. John Marcum, conductor of No. 51, was badly bruised, but assisted in the rescue.

15 Hurt on Larger Car

There were fifteen passengers on the larger car, No. 109, and all were bruised, cut or shaken up. James E. Wright, Los Gatos, motorman, and Edward Dato, San Jose, conductor, were both injured.

Romanians Occupy Budapest in Spite of Allies

(By United Press)

Budapest, Aug. 5—General Nurese, commander in chief of the Roumanian army, explained today that he had ordered the occupation of Hungary only as far as the outskirts of Budapest. He does not intend to interfere with internal affairs of Budapest. He said the Roumanians occupied Budapest in spite of the instructions of the Allies to cease their advance.

Paris, Aug. 5—According to reports received here today the Roumanians have seized Budapest and imprisoned two cabinet members as hostages. The Roumanian forces have established military dictatorship.

Bad Race Feeling Extends to New Jersey Town

(By United Press)

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 5—Two negroes were arrested and two others sought for as a result of an outbreak between blacks and whites at North Trenton early today.

It was said the four negroes pushed several white men from the sidewalk and began shooting when the actions were resisted. Police rushed to the rescue.

Not Much to Choose.

The honors are about even, whether your job wears out your shoes or your trousers. It sets you back about \$15 for replacements in either event.—Kansas City Star.

Tokio Will Make a Formal Declaration of Japan's Intentions it is Announced

Washington, Aug. 4—Japan's intentions in the Chinese province of Shantung, where she is given control by the Versailles treaty, soon are to be set forth in a formal declaration from the Tokio government, according to information received today in official circles.

Reject Statements.

Although the exact nature of the declaration was not forecast, it was assumed it would follow the lines of the repeated statements of Japanese statesmen that the province eventually is to be returned to China. In some quarters it was believed Japan might even set a date for the restoration and acknowledge publicly the secret understanding she is said to have with China on that subject.

The reported decision of the Japanese government to make known its purposes is believed to be the outgrowth of informal diplomatic conversations between Washington and Tokio reflecting the American government's desire that all the facts in the case be given to the public. President Wilson has told many senators that a complete exposure of the case would throw a new light on the Shantung question, which has been one of the points of attack in senate opposition of treaty's ratification.

Senate Speculation.

There has been much speculation in senatorial and diplomatic circles whether the Japanese government itself would speak on the subject or would remain silent and permit the disclosure of Japan's promises regarding Shantung to come from Mr. Wilson. Tonight conjecture had shifted to the questions whether the Japanese declaration would be considered by the president as fully disclosing the situation and what effect it would have on the prospect of ratification of the treaty.

News of the expected development regarding Shantung reached the capitol after the foreign relations committee had opened the way to other important disclosures by asking Secretary Lansing to come before it Wednesday to discuss features of the treaty. It is expected the sessions will be public and that some of the committee members will want the secretary to tell much of the inside story of how the treaty with its league of nations covenant was drawn up at Versailles.

MARKET REPORT

Minneapolis Cash Grain
Wheat—No. 1 Dark Northern, \$2.40 and \$2.50; No. 1 Northern, \$2.35 to \$2.45.
Corn—No. 3 yellow, \$1.75.
Oats—No. 3 white, 65 3-8 to 66 3-8.
Barley—Choice, \$1.23 to \$1.25.
Rye—No. 2, \$1.34 to \$1.34 1/2.
Flaxseed—Fancy, \$5.89 to \$5.91.

St. Paul Hay Market.

Cattle—Receipts, 2700; market slow and weak; top price, \$15.50; bulk of sales, \$8 to \$15.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 5500; market 50c to \$2 lower; top price, \$21.50; bulk of sales, \$20.25 to \$20.35.
Sheep—Receipts, 400; no market.

South St. Paul Live Stock

Timothy—No. 1, \$27.50; No. 2, \$26; No. 3, \$22.
Clover—Mixed No. 1, \$24; No. 2, \$22.50.
Alfalfa—Standard, \$30; No. 1, \$29.

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THE WEATHER

Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:
Minnesota—Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday. Probably thunder showers in extreme south portion. Not much change in temperature.
North Dakota—Fair tonight and Wednesday. Not much change in temperature.
Co-operative weather observer's record, 7 P. M.—
Aug. 4, maximum 70, minimum 60. Reading in evening, 68. South wind. Cloudy.
Aug. 5, minimum during night, 57. Trace rain.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Elsie Foster has returned from Minneapolis.
For auto livery call 613-L. 52-1m
Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Alexander went to Nisswa this afternoon.
For Spring Water phone 264. 1f
Miss Mabel Anderson of Pillager is a guest of Miss Alice Anderson.
Band Concert and dance at Lum Park Wednesday evening, Aug. 6th. 5412
Fred Bootz of Mason City, Iowa, is a guest of his sister, Mrs. Albert Zahn.
Phone Clark's for Mason and E-Z Seal Jars in all sizes. 531f
Miss Helen Zahn has returned from a two weeks' vacation spent in Minneapolis.
Electric Irons \$5.00, up. Brainerd Electric Co. 191f
Mrs. Louis Nelson went to Duluth this afternoon to visit two sons and two daughters.
Boost for Brainerd and ask your grocer for Brainerd-made bread. 491f

DANCE

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Miss Della Swartz of Iowa Falls, Iowa, is a guest of her cousin, Miss Alice Swartz of Nisswa.
Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month. L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m
Edward Hogan of Superior, Wis., representing the Northwest Oil Co., was in the city today.
Mrs. Rose Smith of Grand View and Mrs. George Tuthill of Minneapolis, visited in Brainerd today.
The Rehl-Witham orchestra will play for dance at Fort Ripley, Johnson hall, Thursday night, Aug. 7. Lunch served. Good time assured. 5214
The Sunday school board of the Methodist church, which was to have met this evening, has been postponed until next Tuesday evening.
For bargains in houses and lots, see J. R. Smith Sleeper Block. 2261f
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherlund are the parents of a pretty baby girl who came to gladden their home circle. Mother and child are doing well.
Why rent? When by paying Nettleton only a little more monthly you can own what you pay rent for. 501f
Work is progressing favorably at the W. E. Lively garage site. Ten men are putting in the concrete

foundation under the direction of W. T. Carlson.

The Knights of Columbus, Council No. 1491, will give a ball at Gardner auditorium on Friday evening, Aug. 15. The Rehl-Witham orchestra will play.

One used Hudson 5 passenger car and one used Studebaker 7 passenger car for sale at a great sacrifice. Both cars in good condition and may be seen at Turcotte-Hardy Auto Co. garage, 318 6th St. So. 431f

St. Cloud is preparing for its Labor Day program. The Central Labor Union will be in charge. There will be a big parade, speaking, the St. Cloud Military band will play, there will be music for dancing too, all contributing to make it a gala occasion.

A Liberty Bond and \$15 monthly buys a home of Nettleton. \$5 a month buys large liberty lots. 501f
Mr. and Mrs. Nick Manick arrived last night from Minneapolis for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Manick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jensen. They will leave for Brainerd tonight where Mr. Manick expects to open a restaurant. Little Falls Transcript.

Just as soon as weather permits our assortments of fancy cakes and pastry will be increased. Watch for our lines Saturdays. Ericsson Brothers Bakery. 491f

H. R. Lowe, formerly a clerk of the Minnesota & International railway, has opened a pool and billiard room and barber shop in the Ransford block on Front street. He has four pool tables, billiard tables and a three chair barber shop. Friends are assured Mr. Lowe will do very well at this location.

LICENSE SOFT DRINKS

City Commission of St. Cloud Considering Licensing Parlors Soon—Other Measures Up
(St. Cloud Journal-Press)

Almost beer, near beer and not-quite beer will all have their hard road to travel just as John Barleycorn had to hoe his row. The city commission of St. Cloud is considering the suggestion of licensing all soft drink emporiums, dispensaries, parlors and such other affairs as may exist.

Geo. G. Magnuson, president of the League of Municipalities, is now conferring with other members of the league that a uniform license might be adopted by all municipalities of Minnesota.

But the soft drinks are not alone to be licensed. The persons compiling the city directories are to have an ordinance thrust upon them. Other minor license ordinances are now under consideration.

The commission will enact a more stringent ordinance on the traffic regulations, especially the crossing of streets by pedestrians. Many people cross a street anywhere between intersections. This practice will be remedied by a proposed ordinance.

ROLL OF HONOR

Bob Stickney landed at New York Sunday. He was with Co. M., 23rd Infantry, leaving Brainerd in September, 1917. It is believed Ray Hall is with him and that they will be mustered out at Camp Merritt.
Fred Sundine of the 3rd Pioneers, who was in Germany with the Army of Occupation, has returned home.
Oliver Larson, who was with the 85th Engineers at Tours, France, has returned home.
William Lee has returned from overseas duty in France and Germany.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Friday, Aug. 1, 1919, calling please say "Advertised," week ending Aug. 4, 1919. When Basset, Mrs. M., Cunningham, Albert J., Conklin, R. E., Carroll, Luke, Davis, Violet, Hagberg, Mr. A., Halberg, Miss Emma, Hintz, R. L., Johnson, Miss Lucille, Johnson, Miss Agnes J., Millard, Miss Josephine, Patten, John V., Smiley, Art, Spencer, Miss Annie, Wilson, Mr. Neal, Smith, Miss Hattie (Two)
H. P. DUNN, P. M.

Use for Luminous Paint.

Various kinds of luminous paints, covered with transparent varnish, are used for the purpose of making watch hands visible at night. The chemicals that give this property of phosphorescence to the paint are chiefly the phosphides of strontium, barium and calcium.

OFF TO MARKET

MRS. MURPHY is now on her way to the Eastern Dry Goods Markets, where she will Study the Styles and buy lots of Pretty Things for the Brainerd Ladies.

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K. OF C. HOLDS BIG PEACE CONVENTION

(By United Press)
Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 5.—The Peace Convention of the Knights of Columbus was held here starting today and lasting three days. It will be the largest in attendance and volume of business to be transacted since the order was founded more than 37 years ago.

Leaders in army, navy and civil life will address the convention at the K. of C. council building. Later sessions will be held at the Statler hotel. Archbishop Hayes of New York has been invited to address the convention. Bishop Shahan, rector of the Catholic University, will deliver the sermon at the high mass which precedes every K. of C. Supreme Council meeting and Bishop Turner of this city will be the celebrant of the mass.

Thousands of Knights from all parts of the United States, Canada, Newfoundland, Porto Rico, Cuba, Mexico and Panama are expected to attend.

BAKER SUBMITS PLANS FOR UNIVERSAL MILITARY TRAINING

Asks Permanent Peace Time Army of 510,000 Men and Universal Military Training
Washington, Aug. 4.—Plans for a permanent peacetime army of 510,000 officers and men and a system of universal military training were transmitted to congress today by Secretary N. D. Baker. The plans were embodied in a bill which represents the policy of the war department with respect to the peacetime military establishment.

Under the measure all special services built up during the war should be maintained as separate branches except the chemical warfare service, which would be merged with the engineers corps.

Three months military training for youths of 19 would be made compulsory and promotion of officers by seniority would be abolished. Secretary Baker said the war had shown this system of promotion to be defective.

One change in the existing law with regard to the organization of the National Guard and its relation to the Regular Army was suggested. Mr. Baker said it was assumed that the national defense act federalizing the guard would be retained in force.

Youths Subject Two Years.
Under the army's plan, youths would be subject to military service for two years after completing the course of military training and in the event of war the selective service act in force during the great war would become operative.

Secretary Baker said in a letter accompanying the bill that the plan had not yet been referred to General J. J. Pershing, but that pending his return from France it could be used as the basis for hearings which the senate military committee is to have before drafting legislation establishing a permanent military policy.

Reserve Obligation Omitted.
"The bill as drawn," said Secretary Baker, "provides for a system of universal training for a very brief period applicable to all male citizens with suitable provisions for exemptions and deferments."

Only Worth-While Boss.
"De good boss," said Uncle Eben, "ein' de man dat lets you loaf on de job, but de one dat shows you how you kin take pleasure an' pride in de work."

QUICK RECOVERY.

Helen had the whooping cough and so was not invited to her little friend Margaret's birthday party, though the invitation list included all the other children in the neighborhood. On the morning of the affair the telephone girl might have overheard the following conversation:

"Hello."
"Hello, is this Margaret Hillfield's house?"
"Yes."
"Is this you, Margaret?"
"Yes, who is this?"
"This is Helen Honeywell. You are going to have a birthday party today, aren't you?"
"Yes."
"Well, say, Margaret, I'm all over the whooping cough now."—Newark News.

Strength of Character.
"He's a milliner."
"Umph!"
"Don't jump to the conclusion that a fellow in that line of business is necessarily a mollycoddle. I recently overheard him addressing some remarks to a punctured tire that would have done credit to a Kentucky colonel in the heat of a political argument."

New Material.
"What's the idea of starting this new sensational investigation?"
"Well," responded Senator Sorghum, "it seems necessary to do something to take the people's minds off of a lot of other investigations that there doesn't seem to be any way to finish."

Needn't Search Far.
The man who is looking for a soft place without honest labor can usually find it right under his hat.—Detroit News.

Daily Thought.
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SPEED UP TO 90 MILES HOUR

James Magee at Brainerd Hospital,
Section Foreman Had Both Legs
Cut Off at Knee

Deerwood, Minn., Aug. 5.—From Warren, Ohio, H. J. Ernster of the First National bank, has received a flying machine, two passenger "roadster" type, weighing 1250 pounds and equipped with a 100 horsepower engine capable of making 40 to 90 miles an hour. A hangar has been erected on Serpent lake and machine and hangar are the center of interest for the hundreds of summer tourists in Deerwood and vicinity. A brother of Mr. Ernster, J. P. Ernster, has been prominent in furthering aircraft invention and extension and some time ago received one of the first large planes in Minnesota. He aided in founding an aircraft division.

James Magee, section foreman who accidentally lost both legs at the knee when brushed from a cinder car, is at the railway hospital in Brainerd and gradually regaining his strength.

The Norwegian Ladies' Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Olsen Skau on Thursday.

C. E. Barnes was at Minneapolis on business matters in reference to the county war book he is to print early in September.

George D. Shannon was at Brainerd this week.

B. Magoffin, Jr., was at the county seat on business.

Major H. E. Peterson has returned home from war service. He was the first man from Deerwood to enlist.

Frank McGuire has returned from war service and is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James McCarvill where his wife and child stayed while he was absent.

Mrs. Myron Hilyar and daughter are visiting in Waupun, Wis.

Sergt. Gus Oberg is expected home this week.

Miss Haldie Anderson was a guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. Palmer.

Mrs. O. C. Coffin was operated on at St. Paul.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Humphrey.

For John T. Stilwell

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Bahr entertained at dinner today in honor of the latter's brother, John T. Stilwell, who has just returned from overseas duty. Out of town relatives were Mrs. Ellen O. Day and Malcolm McCallum of Joliet, Ill., and Mrs. Lars Halvorson and daughters Hazel and Bernice of Detroit, Minn.

Ladies' Aid

The Ladies' Aid of the First M. E. church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 6. All members who have not handed in their dollar for the experience social are requested to do so at this meeting.

First Baptist Aid
The Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist church will be entertained by Mrs. L. W. Thabes Wednesday afternoon. The ladies are asked to come early as there are comforters to tie.

Peoples Congregational
The Ladies' Aid society of the Peoples Congregational church will meet in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon entertained by several ladies of the society. All members are requested to be present at this meeting it being the annual meeting.

SCHUMANN-HEINK TO
CLAIM CHILDREN OF
GERMAN SAILOR SON

New York, Aug. 4.—Mme. Ernestine Schumann-Heink, famous opera singer, has sailed for Germany where she hopes to find the two little children of her slain son and bring them back to this country. August, her son, perished when a German submarine, on which he was stationed, struck a mine in the Mediterranean. Weeping, the diva told about it on the deck of the Holland-American liner Rotterdam just before the ship sailed.

Her three other sons, she said, served in the American forces, but August, who was an officer of the Hamburg-American line fleet of merchant vessels before the outbreak of the war, became a member of the German navy. She wore a bar with four service stars, one of which was for the German sailor.

The two children, the singer said, she wants to make good Americans.

Weak Stuff.
Photoplay Producer—What's your opinion of our latest white slave drama?

Chairman (of board of censorship)—It's more to be pitied than censored.

Their Status.
Friend—Are you the author of that picture?

Photoplaywright—Well, I am of the scenario; but the director is author of the film.—Film Fun.

A Clue.
"One of the men at the opposite table seems to have great animal spirits."
"Do you mean the one with the horse-dish?"

Up to Date.
Hewitt—We don't hear much nowadays about the "steam roller" in politics.

Jewett—No; I suppose they have tanks now.

Difficult Object.
Whips—Are you going to marry Miss Toctise?
Gibbs—I really can't say. She is my objective and her mother is my objection.—Judge.

Locusts Used as Food.
Locusts are eaten in many countries where they are roasted or fried in butter. They are also preserved in brine and often dried in the sun. They thus appear in the markets of Arabia, Syria, Egypt and Madagascar, and are even exported as an article of commerce. They are also candied and eaten as a delicacy in China.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY.

Youngest Competitors in Blonde Beauty Show



Here are two of the youngest competitors in the blonde beauty contest held annually at Venice, the California beach resort. They didn't win the prize from the other ninety-eight competitors but that didn't worry them a bit—as the photograph will show. They were handicapped because the older contestants resorted to cosmetics and were the latest up-to-date bathing suits. They agree with their mother that the referee robbed them of the decision.

BIRD PROTECTION
SHOWING RESULTS

WHOLE COUNTRY IN SYMPATHY
WITH LAW THAT PREVENTS
SPRING SHOOTING

LEARNING VALUE OF BIRDS

Man Could Not Exist Long After They
Were All Destroyed—Abundant
Feathered Life in the National Capital.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—Washington officials connected with the biological survey of the department of agriculture, of which E. W. Nelson is the chief, are faithfully at work these days in carrying out the provisions of the treaty with Canada which gives the United States power to protect migratory birds. Dr. E. K. Fisher and Dr. F. S. Palmer with other officials are doing commanding work.

The effect of the prosecution of offenders against the laws regulating shooting is already evident. Strong support from genuine sportsmen has come for that provision of the law which prevents spring shooting and which gives the migratory birds security during the season of mating and nesting. The whole country now is in sympathy apparently with the laws which protect the song and insectivorous birds of the land.

A French scientist has stated that six months after the disappearance of bird life from this planet of ours man would have to prepare to follow in the trail of disappearance. The Frenchman's findings have been borne out by other scientists declaring that insect life would increase so rapidly if its natural enemies, the birds, were all killed, the green things on the earth would be dead in short order and that therefore no cattle could live, and man being deprived of both vegetables and animal food, would go the way of annihilation by starvation.

So it is that the government authorities believe that the fight for birds is a fight for the life of man and on this basis it has been difficult for some people to understand why in certain sections of the country there has been indifference to the plans for the protection of our feathered friends.

Washington Swarms With Birds.
All of which in a way is apropos of the extraordinary abundance of song-bird life in the capital of the United States in this late summer season of 1919. No shooting is allowed in the District of Columbia at any time of the year. The result is that birds literally walk over the feet of people who sit in any one of the parks with which this city abounds.

Of course domestic pigeons are not wild birds, but they are not ordinarily as tame as chickens. In parts of Washington the domestic pigeons will light on the heads of persons sitting in the parks in the expectation of being fed. They are seldom disappointed.

What is true of the domestic pigeon is almost true of the blackbird, known generally as the purple grackle. These glossy fellows will eat from the hand. Robins do not care for bread crumbs and therefore they do not besiege the park visitors as do the other birds, but they pay no attention to passersby and will pull worms from the sod unconcerned while within less than a hand's reach of humankind.

The English sparrows are a nuisance

In Washington as they are elsewhere, but in the parks they seem to have a special protection and confidence. A great deal has been written about a man in Paris who daily for years fed the sparrows while they were perching on his shoulders, his head and his arms. The same thing can be seen in almost any park in Washington any day.

Species Seen in the District.

What is true of the city is to a considerable extent true of the suburbs in the District of Columbia. This summer I have seen the homes of twelve pairs of house wrens under the shadow of one suburban residence. Woodpeckers, orioles, chickadees, robins, bluebirds, martins, clipping sparrows, barn swallows, sparrow hawks, red shouldered hawks, and a dozen other species of birds were nesting, community-like, on the same domain.

Many owls nest in the city of Washington, and it was only a short time ago that one "sang" in a tree at my window for three hours of a summer night.

The plan of the government officials seems to be, so far as the game birds are concerned, to let the people eat their game and still have it. In other words, the desire is that there shall be shooting allowed at proper times and with proper limits set for the size of the bag. This course insures that the game birds will not be annihilated, and that the loss to the flocks from shooting will be certain to be made up by natural increase of the succeeding season.

The District of Columbia is a sort of a midway place for the birds. There are many migrants coming from the south who stop here to nest, while the rest of the flocks go to the farther north. In the fall a good many of the southward flying birds find this a congenial place to spend the winter. Some species, the majority of whose numbers go to the far south, pass the winter in the sheltered places along the Potomac river, and in Rock Creek park.

ENGLAND CELEBRATES
WAR'S FIFTH BIRTHDAY

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 5.—The fifth anniversary of England's declaration of war against Germany falling on a regular public holiday, was utilized today for several official and unofficial peace celebrations which had to be eliminated from the official Joy-Day, July 19.

"Old Father Thames" had the stage largely to himself Monday morning when a triumphal river procession headed by King George and Queen Mary in the little used State Barge, proceeded from Tower Bridge up the river to Chelsea. Great crowds of holiday-makers thronged the banks and bridges, and the river was swarming with small craft of every description so that the aquatic marshals, in the persons of the Thames police, and the King's Watermen had considerable difficulty in keeping a clear course for the procession of boats.

The king, and the royal party, boarded the gorgeous state barge at the Tower, and amid fanfares of trumpets and salutes proceeded to the head of the procession. The king's bargemaster, W. G. East, an official whose duties, in ordinary times are to look after the swans and royal waterfowl, came to his own yesterday and clad in a Tudor costume, resplendent in crimson and gold, acted as admiral over the thirty-two sturdy watermen, also wearing Tudor period uniforms emblazoned with the royal cypher, who propelled the distinguished party. An escort of the picturesque Yeomen of the Guard, looking as though they had just stepped from a pictorial history book and armed with huge halberds, also assisted.

The royal party disembarked at Chelsea Hospital, but for the remainder of the day the river was thronged with boats and picnic parties.

Massage for Lumbago.

Lumbago, according to Doctor Poncetta, head of the medical department of the Swiss Accident Insurance Institute, may be purely rheumatic, or result from strain to a muscle, or be produced by a chill when overexerted. He says massage is the best treatment, and that recovery should take place in from six to eight days at the outside.

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A HALF-BAKED SENATOR

The address of U. S. Senator Smith of South Carolina delivered in the senate on the "high cost of living" wherein he ascribed such high costs to buying automobiles and going to picture shows and other pleasures stamps him as a half-baked sort of a personage who has not wandered far out of his southern balliwick.

That attendance at a 5-10-20 cent picture show or buying a flivver such as the average worker now possesses is the reason for the high cost of living is ridiculous and would certainly be a joke if some worker in the ranks made the assertion, but coming from a high-brow senator it is given some credence by some people.

"Peter's Pence"

Peter's Pence or Peter's penny was the annual contribution for the support of the papacy. It consisted of the payment of a silver penny by every family that possessed land or cattle whose value was 30 pence. In England this payment was abolished under Henry VIII, and in other countries did not survive the Reformation.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy, is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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CITY LOSES
BIG BRANCH HOUSE

Little Falls People Out Some Money Unless Stranger Makes Good on Drafts Drawn

AGENCY DREAM SHATTERER

Introduced Himself as a Manager of the International Harvester Company

(Little Falls Transcript)
 The dreams of Little Falls as the home of a big distributing agency for the International Harvester company have been shattered and the purses of one or two local men are a little lighter, unless a man claiming the name of D. H. Remington, who has been in the city, can make good on drafts which he drew on a Chicago firm.

A draft given a local store for \$12.75 and one given a bank for \$50 have been cashed as "no good" by the Chicago firm on which they were drawn. It was said today that a warrant would be issued for the arrest of Remington, who is believed to have left town last night.

Remington came to the city the first of the week and posed as a representative of the International Harvester Co. and stated that he was to open a distributing agency here for the company. He began negotiations for the purchase of the Harrison & Peterson building and also arranged for the purchase of two lots next to the building. He created a good impression and there was little reason to believe that he was other than what he represented himself to be.

In the rush of work yesterday a draft was accepted from him at the bank, drawn on Greenbaum & Sons of Chicago. Later the bank officials became suspicious and wired the Chicago firm. The answer received this morning was that the "Remington account is no good."

He purchased some small articles of wearing apparel at the clothing store for which he tendered a draft on the Chicago firm for \$12.75.

The man appeared to be full of business and was apparently anxious to close the details of his transactions at once. He engaged an attorney and worked all day yesterday at the court house looking up titles, etc.

He saw to it that his hotel bills were paid in advance and even returned \$30 of the \$50 secured at the bank when he learned that his standing had been doubted.

A telephone message from the Harvester company's agency at St. Cloud this noon was to the effect that no such man is known to them and that there has been no talk of transferring the agency to this city. Remington could not be found in the city today.

FROM SPHINX TO CELEBRATION

Before the Sphinx



Lowell Thomas

From the Sphinx in Egypt to Jerusalem is a rocky, difficult journey which took the followers of Moses forty years to cover on foot and which Lowell Thomas, war observer covered by camel, motor, horse, airplane and on foot in a much shorter time. Mr. Thomas accompanied General Allenby on his dash into Palestine which broke the backbone of German-Turkish militarism in the Holy Land and precipitated the end of the world war.

Being pictured before the Sphinx is a diversion which Napoleon set the example for Mr. Thomas but the great Bonaparte never flew over the Holy Land in an airplane as did this modern traveler. His experiences with the British forces in the Bible lands form a part of an interesting travelogue which Mr. Thomas preserved in motion pictures. These give such a vivid idea of the Holy

Land that the traveler was engaged to show his pictures and give his travelogues throughout the Methodist Centenary Celebration at Columbus, O., June 20 to July 13. Although Mr. Thomas was booked to appear in only the largest cities, he responded to this opportunity to show to the visitors from hundreds of communities just what the land is like in one field of missionary endeavor, the one made familiar to every Bible student.

His motion and still pictures show the beach whereon Samson and Delilah strolled and the city from which this Biblical strong man bore the brazen gates. They show the valley of Ajalon where Joshua commanded the sun to stand still.

Striking motion and still views are shown of Joffa and Hebron and Bethany and Jerusalem, Bethlehem, Nazareth, Nablus, Damascus, Beirut,

Sidon and the Mount of Olives. They show the hills whence Moses looked down upon the Promised Land, the tombs of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Sarah and Rebecca, the Garden of Gethsemane and a dozen other places made famous in Holy Writ. The pictures portray the actual life of the inhabitants of Jerusalem, showing how thousands were saved from starvation by food sent by America.

Thomas tells the story which makes the pictures live. His Holy Land experiences, the most interesting part to the Methodist Centenary visitors, is but a part of his experiences on five battle fronts. He was in Germany at the time of the revolution and took motion pictures in Berlin while fighting was in progress. The acquisition of the Thomas travelogues was regarded as a distinct triumph for the Centenary Celebration.

AMUSEMENTS

At the Best Tonight

Tsuru Aoki, the dainty little Japanese star, is charmingly ingenuous in the role of Toki-Ko in "Bonds of Honor," the virile Japanese drama starring Sessue Hayakawa. The production is from the Haworth Pictures Corporation and is released by Exhibitors Mutual Distributing Corporation.

This fascinating little actress is in private life the wife of Sessue Hayakawa, with whom she has appeared in many of his most successful pictures. Although a native of Japan,

Tsuru Aoki has received practically her entire education in this country, having been brought to California as a child. Not the least attractive of this little woman's art is the naivete and naturalness with which she invests her roles.

HIS ONE AMBITION



A sailor on one of the battleships now stationed in the Hudson river, New York, initiating a very interested little pupil into the mysteries of a ship's bugle calls. In this cool, cozy spot on the deck of one of Uncle Sam's great fighting craft, this little chap plays at "sailor" to his heart's delight, and asks a million childish questions, all of which are promptly and willingly answered by his pal, the "gob."

Literature for the Blind.

The first book in English printed in raised or embossed letters for the use of the blind was issued at Edinburgh 92 years ago by James Galt. The first attempt to provide literature for the sightless was made in 1786 by Haüy, at Paris, who invented a system of printing raised letters. Haüy used the Llyrian or Slavonian alphabet in the few brief works he published, and his project ended in failure.

Napoleon's Faith in Diamond.

Napoleon had a large diamond set in the hilt of the sword he wore at his wedding with the famous Josephine, for he believed that the gem would bring him good fortune.

DISPATCH ADS BRING RESULTS

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COUNCIL FAVORS CITY FUEL YARD

Purchase by City of Carload Lots of Food Supplies Considered by Council at Meeting

LUM PARK TRANSFER TO CITY

Norwood Street Petitioners Want State Highway No. 2 to Traverse Their Street

All members of the council were present at the meeting Monday evening.

City Buying Foodstuffs
Matters affecting a reduction in living expenses were brought up, centering on the proposal of the war department to sell at low prices to municipalities carload lots of foodstuffs comprising canned corned beef, roast beef, hash corned beef, bacon in crates, canned vegetables, etc.

P. B. Nettleton advised the council to take advantage of the government's proffer and recommended that a room be provided for a storage of goods and a man put in charge of same and that it be continued and made a part of a public market proposition.

The aldermen discussed the quantities which should be bought.

The question of the city engaging in commercial enterprises was taken up.

On motion of Alderman Andrew Anderson and seconded by Alderman Koop, carried, it was referred to the purchasing committee to investigate and if practical to call a special meeting of the council for consideration.

Grading 4th Street
F. H. Peters, of 711 South Fourth street, spoke on the condition of the street near his home and he was advised to have a petition drawn for the grading of his street.

Municipal Woodyard
On motion of Alderman Cordes, seconded by Alderman Hugdahl, the council went on record as favoring the establishment of a municipal coal and wood yard.

Garbage Collection
G. S. Swanson spoke on the need of a garbage collection system. There is an ordinance on the subject, but no one has ever in response to requests for bids, made an offer for the collection of the same.

Water and Light
Alderman Koop reported on the

financial status of water and light bills owed by the city. The council ordered paid city water and light bills as presented for the months of December 1918 and January, February and March, 1919.

Play at Lum Park.

On motion carried, the Brainerd Municipal band will play at Lum park Wednesday evening, Aug. 6th. A billiard and pool room license was granted H. R. Lowe in the Ramsford building, Front street.

A plumbing permit was granted the contractor of the Northern Pacific depot.

Norwood Street Petition.

Attorneys H. A. and G. S. Swanson appeared in behalf of petitioners desirous of having State Road No. 2 traverse a section of Norwood street from 19th to South Broadway instead of Oak street, stating the change was in consequence of an engineering question, a viaduct under Norwood's railway crossing.

Attention was called by the city attorney, H. F. Fullerton, that the petitioners did not state they wished Norwood paved in case State Road No. 2 did not traverse Norwood or that they would put in the paving in event of failure of passage of the Babcock law. The petition was placed on file.

Oak Street Designated

On motion of Alderman Andrew Anderson seconded by Alderman Cordes, carried, Oak street southeast was designated as a portion of State Road No. 2 and that the city attorney and city engineer confer with the county officers relative to this preference.

Kingwood Street

Kingwood street was considered and City Attorney Fullerton mentioned an amendment to the state constitution which if passed made railways assessable for such improvements.

Lum Park.

Lum park was discussed and the transfer back to the park board. Archie Falconer presented a bill for lights paid for August, \$40, and asked a proportionate refund. The city attorney advised the bill be referred to the park board, and also that the city serve formal notice of the transfer of the park to the park board.

Mayor F. E. Little announced the appointment of Edward White as a special policeman without pay at the park and the appointment was confirmed. A. K. Gumaer of the park

board will be a representative of the board having direction of the park.

New Sewers

Alderman Michael called attention to progress estimates covering new sewers. Estimates allowed were: Lateral P, Dist. No. 1, \$321.60; F-3, No. 8, \$285; F-1 No. 8, \$974.38; F-2 No. 8, \$615.12. There was also allowed subject to the approval of the water and light board estimate No. 1 of well site, being \$4,418.33.

Drinking Fountains.

Drinking fountains, those installed and others considered, were discussed, also suitable watering troughs for horses. It was referred to the water committee to act with the water and light board.

Boilers Inspected.

A report was made on the inspection of boilers at the city hall by Inspector P. T. Brown. They were O. K., but he recommended covering with asbestos pipes passing through coal bins and encountering cold air and some alterations made in radiation at the jail.

2 RESTAURANTS SOLD IN CITY

Tom Buzanis and Andrew Korfiatis of Minneapolis Acquire Trautmann "Dairy Lunch"

THE GARVEY RESTAURANT SOLD

Bought by Nicholas Manich of Minneapolis, Takes Possession of Same on August 7th

Two restaurants in Brainerd have been sold to Minneapolis men.

Tom Buzanis and Andrew Korfiatis have acquired the Dairy Lunch near the corner of Laurel and Sixth streets, buying from John Trautmann. The latter at one time conducted two restaurants in the city. He does not know what his future plans will be, but may engage in the hotel business in Brainerd.

Nicholas Manich bought the W. J. Garvey restaurant at 213 South Sixth street, securing possession on August 7. Mr. and Mrs. Garvey will retire to their farm near Brainerd for several months' rest. Mr. Garvey bought the restaurant originally from George R. West and conducted it two and a half years.

DISPATCH WANT ADS PAY

TO GET DATA ON VISIBLE HAY CROP

State Department of Agriculture to Gain Location and Amount Available

AID TO FIND MARKET FOR SAME

Meeting at Chamber Commerce Aug. 8, Addressed by H. J. Hughes

According to a telegram received by the Chamber of Commerce this afternoon, Hugh J. Hughes of the Department of Agriculture, St. Paul, will be in Brainerd on Friday, Aug. 8 and a meeting, scheduled for last week, will be held at the Chamber rooms, to which farmers and others interested are urged to be present.

The nature of the meeting and object of the same are made plain in the following letter, received last week and to which a prompt reply and invitation to come was sent:

St. Paul, July 29, 1919.
See'y, Lincoln,
Commercial Club,
Brainerd, Minn.

Dear Mr. Lincoln:
The Department of Agriculture is moving as rapidly as possible to ascertain in the most definite form it can the location and amount of hay available within the state. This is upon the request of the U. S. Department of Agriculture and for the further purpose of aiding our farmers to market a crop for which the department is confident there will be an active demand at fair prices.

Would you be prepared to call together a number of men who could meet me and talk the matter of hay supply and marketing over some day next week? Please wire me, at our expense, if you think such a conference would be productive of good results. If I make the trip, I would like to investigate the conditions in the field so far as time will permit.

Sincerely yours,
HUGH J. HUGHES,
In Charge of Markets.

County Agent Roth and Mr. Lincoln are working together to make this meeting a success and are urging a large attendance. It will be held at 2 p. m. and will be presided over by Mr. Roth, as the matters under discussion come more directly under his line of work.

DREW CHECKS ON LITTLE FALLS BANK

Brainerd Merchants Swindled by Man Who had no Account in Merchants State Bank

C. V. OLSON NAME IS SIGNED

Made Payable to Charlie Williams "For Labor", Aggregate of 4 Checks Was \$100

(Little Falls Transcript)
Fraudulent checks ranging in amounts of from \$10 to \$30 have been issued in Brainerd in the last few days. The checks are on the Merchants State bank of Little Falls, made payable to Charlie Williams "for labor," and the name C. V. Olson is signed. On the checks received here by the local bank the endorsement Williams is attached. The Merchants State bank has received four checks from Brainerd which aggregated \$100, one for \$28 being received this morning.

The parties evidently took the blank checks from the writing desk of the bank here and went on to Brainerd.

TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC SATURDAY

The regular monthly tuberculosis clinic under Deerwood sanatorium auspices will be held at the court house in Brainerd Saturday from 11 o'clock to noon, August 9, under the direction of the superintendent, Dr. W. L. Mattick.

Pacific Fleet Off San Diego

(By United Press)
San Diego, Calif., Aug. 5.—Steaming in battle formation thirty-five vessels of the Pacific fleet under Admiral Rodman passed Cedros Islands at daybreak today and will arrive off Coronado Islands within sight of this city at daybreak tomorrow. The islands are about thirty-five miles outside of this port. The fleet will remain at anchor all day tomorrow.

U. S. MAY GET WEST INDIES

Cession Possible as Part of British War Debt

London, Aug. 4.—The National News says a suggestion that the British West Indies be ceded to the United States in part payment of Great Britain's war debt is being considered seriously on both sides of the Atlantic.

The woman who has found the secret of Youth has found the secret of Beauty

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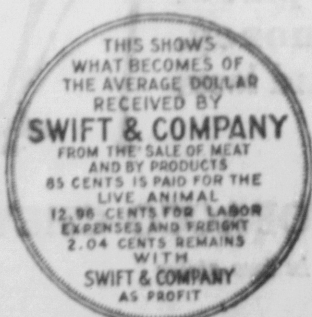
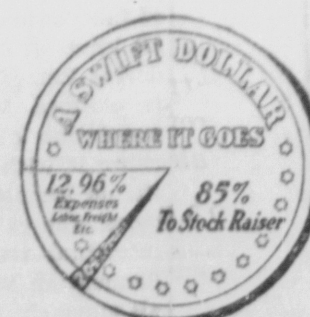
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The real locust is an indiscriminate eater, grain fields, cornfields, meadows, pastures, weed patches—everything falls before him. The periodical cicada is dainty almost beyond belief. It was long believed that in the adult stage it took no nourishment at all. But the "seventeen-year locust" does eat while in the adult age, its diet being confined to the juices of plants, sucked out in very small quantities and without causing injury.

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FOR SALE—Variety of furniture, beds, couches, etc. Must be sold at once. Inquire Apartment 8, Pearce Bldg. 7009-4811

FOR SALE—Kitchen cupboard, large extension table, brass bedstead, springs and mattress, and several iron bedsteads. Phone 569-L. 7031-5011

FOR SALE OR TRADE—162½ acres of good unimproved land in Cass Co., near Gull lake. Inquire J. Sundberg, Brainerd, Minn. 7007-4812

FOR SALE—Three fine cleared, level lots in Northeast Brainerd, for sale cheap. No tax title. W. F. Wieland, First National Bank Bldg. 6658-3011

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—To do sewing. 416½ S. 6th St. Mrs. Jennie Jacobs. 7019-4917

WANTED—Second hand cash register in good condition. S. R. Adair, Co. Treasurer. 7020-4911

WANTED TO BUY OR RENT—A five room house by Oct. Phone 315 Chas. Peterson, Washington Ave. N. E. 7051-5316

LOST—Three keys attached to chalk line ring. Return to Dispatch Office. 7046-5313

LOST—Baby's silk tatted bonnet between Sixth street railway crossing and 322 South Broadway. Finder please phone 377-L. 7048-5313

Honor Among Thieves.
He stole a kiss, but gave it back.
And now that girl believes
That there is still some honor left
Among some sort of thieves.

The Proof.
"Brides must be a drug on the market."
"What makes you say such a thing?"
"See for yourself. Fathers used to sell their daughters. Now, they give them away."

Natural Result.
"My ambition is to make enough to buy a little place in the country and raise chickens."
"Ah! Is that the ambition which is egging you on?"

A Dark Outlook.
"The office should seek the man."
"Maybe so. But when that time comes us heelers won't get no credit for electing him."

Knocking.
Reggie—I haven't—aw—been quite myself lately don't you know.
Miss Keen—Indeed. I haven't noticed any improvement.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

"See here," says the Good Judge

I want to remind you about that small chew of this good tobacco.

It tastes better because it's good tobacco. Its quality saves you part of your tobacco money. It goes further and lasts longer.

THE REAL TOBACCO CHEW

Put up in two styles

RIGHT CUT is a short-cut tobacco

W-B CUT is a long fine-cut tobacco



SPORTS

LITTLE FALLS TELLS OF GAME

(Little Falls Transcript)
We had the following, the strike-outs, and our side of the score book shows only one error which was not costly, but we returned last night from Brainerd with the short end of a 1-0, 13-inning ball game.

Little Falls could not hit in pinches. Patterson, much advertised Brainerd moundster, got 6 strike-outs, while Woods whiffed 21. Seven hits to their 6, and still the result stands.

The team was backed by one of the best followings that ever went to Brainerd to witness a ball game. Enthusiasm ran high and the long thrilling 13 frame grind was beginning to tell on the crowd. Woods said little but pitched one of the best games of the year. His support was good in the field but the offensive was sad.

Several times a single would have put the game on the shelf, but that event was not forthcoming. Shoe-string grabs and breaks went to Brainerd. Sure scores for the locals were shut off several times by the horse shoe propensities of the opposition.

A score was averted in the ninth when Tanner pegged from deep right field and caught Cook sliding to home. This would have ended the game by the same score that it took from extra innings to decide. Another exciting incident was in the 13th, with two down and Longley on second. Armstrong hit one down to third that should have brought Longley in easily, but Templeton went into the air and pulled the ball down on a lucky grab.

This contest was one of the most exciting in league history. Disappointments and hopes struggled in the breasts of over 800 fans for over two hours and a large percentage of the 800 were from Little Falls.

Brainerd now has the pennant safely stowed away. The best the locals can do is second place. Next Sunday Verdane comes here and Brainerd goes to Ironton.

FINE PUBLICITY ACCORDED GAME

The Minneapolis Morning Tribune of August 4 again accorded fine publicity to the Brainerd-Little Falls game played here, heading the four-inch black faced type sketch of the game, "Patterson Hurls Brainerd to Flag in 13-inning Go", "Former Miller Allows Only Six Hits, Beating Little Falls for Pennant."

The Duluth News Tribune of August 4 also accorded the Brainerd-Little Falls game a prominent place on its sport page under the caption "Brainerd Wins Flag in Central."

The St. Paul Pioneer Press of same date headed its story "Patterson Hurls Win", "Former Miller Cops Thirteen Inning Game for Brainerd, 1 to 0."

Central Minnesota League fans appreciate the publicity accorded and in all the season games these papers among the out of town papers gave the most space to the League games.

MIKE GIBBONS PUTS ON WEIGHT WHILE ON OUTING

Mike Gibbons, St. Paul's great middleweight boxer, has returned to his home in St. Paul after an outing for several weeks in the Minnesota Lake district, during which he visited at Alexandria, Brainerd, Grand Rapids and other points. Gibbons took on several pounds and seems to be in better condition than he was when he left St. Paul.

The phantom declares that he weighed only 150 pounds when he fought Jeff Smith at Kansas City. Smith received the popular decision.

OVER THE TOP AND THEN SOME

"I never felt better in my life than since taking the first dose of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy. I had a bad case of indigestion and bloating and tried all kinds of medicine. Mayr's Wonderful Remedy is all and more than is claimed for it. On my recommendation our postmaster's wife is using it with good results." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Johnson's Pharmacy and druggists everywhere.

Baseball as Writ in Old London

(By United Press)

New York, Aug. 5.—The staid old London Times, for the first time in its 131 years, has printed a box score. Not only that, but it describes the game in baseball slang that would bring a blush to the cheek of an American writer. A copy of the Times, received here today, contains the following:

"In a closely contested game of baseball at Oxford, between Oxford and Cambridge—teams composed for the most part of former American college men attending the two universities, Oxford won 6 to 4."

"The pastime was featured by the heavy stick-work of Wallace, former Harvard star, who platted out a three-bagger and a homer in three tries with the willow. For the first three frames both teams hung tough and allowed no scoring. The fourth inning netted a brace for the home lads. Ives eluded one to center and Richards let the sphere slip. Eagle watched four bad ones go by, and, after Ives was tagged trying to steal home, was pushed over for the first tally when Williams leaned against one for two sacks. Shaweney went bad here and gave Storey a free ticket, and Wallace came through with a free-station bingle that shoved Williams and Storey across. Brown ended the agony by missing three."

"In the sixth, Cambridge made an effort to close the gap when Shaweney kissed the leather for a bingle. Richards picked a double and Myers followed up with a safe swat that brought the count within one. It looked good for another after Myers swiped the second stop, but Thorngate and Hart both carved the breeze. Oxford wasn't going to let them feel too good about it, though, so they slipped up a few more to convince the crowd it wasn't visitors day. Eagle went to first on Myers' error. Gammell took a stroll, and both were forced at the third corner by Williams and Storey. Wallace stepped into a nice one for the platter before the pill was relayed in. Shaweney was here yanked to give Clarke a chance to use his slants and after

singling through second, Brown was nabbed off the first pillow. "Cambridge came back strong in the eighth when Shaweney singled. Richards was given a life, and both scored with the help of a two-timer from Myers and a nifty sacrifice by Thorngate, but the combined efforts of Hart and Beal could not push the anxious Myers over."

Boxer Who Sings Between Rounds When He Starts Out to Entertain Wounded Soldiers



WILLIE MEEHAN

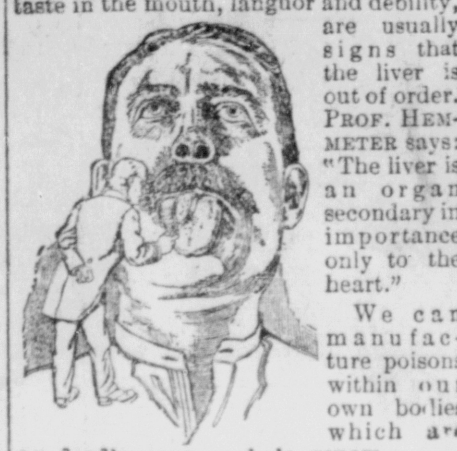
Most boxers find it expedient to range for the entertainment of wounded men at the Letterman General Hospital at the Presidio, San Francisco. Meehan, who has met nearly all the heavy weights and has two four-round decisions over Jack Dempsey, has appeared frequently at various hospitals.

The line-ups were:
Oxford—Ives, c.; Eagle, 1. f.; Gammell, 2b.; Williams, s. a.; Storey, 3b.; Wallace, 1b.; Brown, c. f.; Thomas, p.; Conquist, rf.

Cambridge—Richards, c. f.; Myers, 2b.; Thorngate, r. f.; Hart, c.; Beal, 3b.; Gamoway, 1b.; Kreke, s. a.; Copand, l. f.; Shaweney, p. l. f.; Clarke, p.

A Coated Tongue? What it Means

A bad breath, coated tongue, bad taste in the mouth, languor and debility, are usually signs that the liver is out of order.



PROF. HEN-METER says: "The liver is an organ secondary in importance only to the heart."

We can manufacture poisons within our own bodies which are as deadly as a snake's venom.

The liver acts as a guard over our well-being, sifting out the cinders and ashes from the general circulation. A blockage in the intestines piles a heavy burden upon the liver. If the intestines are choked or clogged up, the circulation of the blood becomes poisoned and the system becomes loaded with toxic waste, and we suffer from headache, yellow-coated tongue, bad taste in mouth, nausea, or gas, acid dyspepsia, languor, debility, yellow skin or eyes. At such times one should take castor oil or a pleasant laxative. Such a one is made of Mayapple, leaves of aloe and jalap, put into ready-to-use form by Doctor Pierce, nearly fifty years ago, and sold for 25 cents by all druggists as Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

GETS POSITION THEN GRADUATES

Miss Ellen Anderson, who went from Fargo High School to the Dakota Business College for a Secretarial Course, accepted a position with the Fargo Implement Co. before graduating.

Miss Mary Dunn, another student of this College was recently placed with the Buckbee Mears Co. as stenographer.

Thus do ambitious young people better themselves by securing proper training to fill lucrative positions in the business world.

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It is a well-known fact that, home for home, the American household has more comforts and conveniences than that of any other nation.

In foreign lands the modernized dwelling is found only in the better sections of the larger cities.

In America, even in remote rural districts, you find the piano, the vacuum cleaner, washing machines, up-to-date heating systems, telephones and numberless electrical appliances.

There is a well-kept look about residence, store or out-buildings with an atmosphere of prosperity and content.

Did you ever stop to realize why this is so; how the condition was brought about?

It is largely due to advertising. And a big share of the credit belongs to newspaper advertising.

Stop and think how many of the foods you eat, the things you wear and other articles entering into your everyday life, you first heard of through newspaper advertisements.

You will then realize what a part they do play, or should play, in your daily life.

Read the advertisements, in the newspapers regularly and thoroughly, if you are not already doing so. They mean more to you than you can tell.